



CENSUS TRANSPORTATION PLANNING PACKAGE (CTPP 2000)

Table 1. Profile of Selected 1990 and 2000 Characteristics

Geographic Area: Sierra County, New Mexico

Subject	1990 Census		Census 2000		Change 1990 to 2000	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
POPULATION						
Total population	9,912	100.0	13,270	100.0	3,358	33.9
In households	9,573	96.6	13,005	98.0	3,432	35.9
In group quarters	339	3.4	265	2.0	-74	-21.8
HOUSEHOLD SIZE						
Total households	4,431	100.0	6,103	100.0	1,672	37.7
1-person household	1,425	32.2	2,194	35.9	769	54.0
2-person household	1,842	41.6	2,421	39.7	579	31.4
3-person household	493	11.1	639	10.5	146	29.6
4-person household	356	8.0	488	8.0	132	37.1
5-or-more-person household	315	7.1	361	5.9	46	14.6
Mean number of persons per household	2.16	(X)	2.13	(X)	-0.03	(X)
VEHICLES AVAILABLE¹						
Total households	4,431	100.0	6,103	100.0	1,672	37.7
No vehicle available	392	8.8	596	9.8	204	52.0
1 vehicle available	1,657	37.4	2,232	36.6	575	34.7
2 vehicles available	1,605	36.2	2,152	35.3	547	34.1
3 vehicles available	526	11.9	861	14.1	335	63.7
4 vehicles available	160	3.6	187	3.1	27	16.9
5 or more vehicles available	91	2.1	75	1.2	-16	-17.6
Mean vehicles per household	1.71	(X)	1.68	(X)	-0.02	(X)
WORKERS BY SEX¹						
Workers 16 years and over	2,958	100.0	4,360	100.0	1,402	47.4
Male	1,611	54.5	2,295	52.6	684	42.5
Female	1,347	45.5	2,065	47.4	718	53.3
MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK						
Workers 16 years and over	2,958	100.0	4,362	100.0	1,404	47.5
Drove alone	2,246	75.9	2,967	68.0	721	32.1
Carpooled	423	14.3	765	17.5	342	80.9
Public transportation (including taxicab)	4	0.1	0	0.0	-4	-100.0
Bicycle or walked	131	4.4	261	6.0	130	99.2
Motorcycle or other means	45	1.5	83	1.9	38	84.4
Worked at home	109	3.7	286	6.6	177	162.4
TRAVEL TIME TO WORK						
Workers who did not work at home	2,849	100.0	4,076	100.0	1,227	43.1
Less than 5 minutes	274	9.6	447	11.0	173	63.1
5 to 9 minutes	833	29.2	1,119	27.5	286	34.3
10 to 14 minutes	704	24.7	878	21.5	174	24.7
15 to 19 minutes	328	11.5	519	12.7	191	58.2
20 to 29 minutes	266	9.3	318	7.8	52	19.5
30 to 44 minutes	271	9.5	418	10.3	147	54.2
45 or more minutes	173	6.1	377	9.2	204	117.9
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	14.6	(X)	20.1	(X)	5.4	(X)
TIME LEAVING HOME TO GO TO WORK						
Workers who did not work at home	2,849	100.0	4,076	100.0	1,227	43.1
5:00 a.m. to 6:59 a.m.	548	19.2	905	22.2	357	65.1
7:00 a.m. to 7:59 a.m.	1,026	36.0	1,686	41.4	660	64.3
8:00 a.m. to 8:59 a.m.	640	22.5	590	14.5	-50	-7.8
9:00 a.m. to 9:59 a.m.	157	5.5	148	3.6	-9	-5.7
10:00 a.m. to 11:59 a.m.	113	4.0	173	4.2	60	53.1
12:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m.	336	11.8	496	12.2	160	47.6
12:00 a.m. to 4:59 a.m.	29	1.0	78	1.9	49	169.0

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 (X) Not applicable.
 Source: U.S. Census Bureau. Census of Population and Housing, 1990 and 2000 long-form (sample) data.

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Table 2. Profile of Selected 2000 Characteristics

Geographic Area: Sierra County, New Mexico



Subject	Census 2000	
	Number	Percent
POPULATION BY AGE		
Total population	13,270	100.0
Under 16 years	2,287	17.2
16 to 20 years	754	5.7
21 to 24 years	323	2.4
25 to 44 years	2,600	19.6
45 to 64 years	3,599	27.1
65 years and over	3,707	27.9
Mean age (years)	45.7	(X)
HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999¹		
Total households	6,103	100.0
Less than \$15,000	1,932	31.7
\$15,000 to 19,999	619	10.1
\$20,000 to 24,999	586	9.6
\$25,000 to 49,999	1,959	32.1
\$50,000 to 74,999	621	10.2
\$75,000 to 99,999	196	3.2
\$100,000 or more	190	3.1
Mean household income (dollars)	31,955	(X)
Median household income (dollars)	24,152	(X)

Household Size by Vehicles Available¹

Household Size	Mean vehicles per household	Vehicles available					
		Total households	No vehicle	1 vehicle	2 vehicles	3 vehicles	4 or more vehicles
Total households	1.68	6,105	595	2,230	2,150	860	260
Row percent	(X)	100.0	9.7	36.5	35.2	14.1	4.3
Column percent	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-person household	1.05	2,195	445	1,335	315	75	25
Row percent	(X)	100.0	20.3	60.8	14.4	3.4	1.1
Column percent	(X)	36.0	74.8	59.9	14.7	8.7	9.6
2-person household	1.94	2,420	100	595	1,220	405	105
Row percent	(X)	100.0	4.1	24.6	50.4	16.7	4.3
Column percent	(X)	39.6	16.8	26.7	56.7	47.1	40.4
3-person household	2.15	640	35	135	230	190	45
Row percent	(X)	100.0	5.5	21.1	35.9	29.7	7.0
Column percent	(X)	10.5	5.9	6.1	10.7	22.1	17.3
4-or-more-person household	2.24	850	20	165	385	190	90
Row percent	(X)	100.0	2.4	19.4	45.3	22.4	10.6
Column percent	(X)	13.9	3.4	7.4	17.9	22.1	34.6

Means of Transportation to Work by Travel Time to Work¹

Means of Transportation	Mean travel time to work (minutes)	Travel time to work					
		Workers who did not work at home	Less than 10 minutes	10 to 19 minutes	20 to 29 minutes	30 to 44 minutes	45 or more minutes
Workers who did not work at home	20.1	4,075	1,565	1,395	320	420	375
Row percent	(X)	100.0	38.4	34.2	7.9	10.3	9.2
Column percent	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Drove alone	18.9	2,965	1,115	1,040	260	325	225
Row percent	(X)	100.0	37.6	35.1	8.8	11.0	7.6
Column percent	(X)	72.8	71.2	74.6	81.2	77.4	60.0
Carpooled	26.8	765	250	285	30	65	135
Row percent	(X)	100.0	32.7	37.3	3.9	8.5	17.6
Column percent	(X)	18.8	16.0	20.4	9.4	15.5	36.0
Bicycle or walked	14.6	260	170	30	25	25	10
Row percent	(X)	100.0	65.4	11.5	9.6	9.6	3.8
Column percent	(X)	6.4	10.9	2.2	7.8	6.0	2.7
Motorcycle or other means	18.1	85	30	45	4	0	4
Row percent	(X)	100.0	35.3	52.9	4.7	0.0	4.7
Column percent	(X)	2.1	1.9	3.2	1.2	0.0	1.1

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